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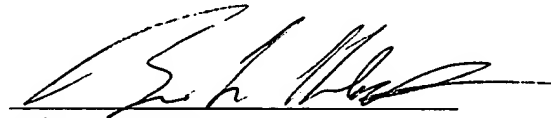CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER RULE 322

Sir:

Patentees are in receipt of an Official Communication dated January 13,

2005, denying Patentees' request for a correction of FIG. 7. Patentees note that FIG. 7 of

the above-noted patent does not correspond to FIG. 7 as filed. A copy of Sheet 5 with

originally filed FIGS. 6 and 7 is attached, together with a copy of FIG. 7 of the patent. A

comparison shows that the PTO did not print FIG. 7 of the patent to correspond with that figure in the application.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the decision denying the request for a correction of FIG. 7 be reconsidered and a Certificate of Correction be issued by the Patent and Trademark Office due to the error to FIG. 7 which appears in the printed patent as a result of Patent and Trademark Office mistakes.

Patentees' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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Attachments: copy of Sheet 5 with
               originally filed Figs. 6 and 7
               copy of FIG. 7 of U.S. Patent 6,793,308

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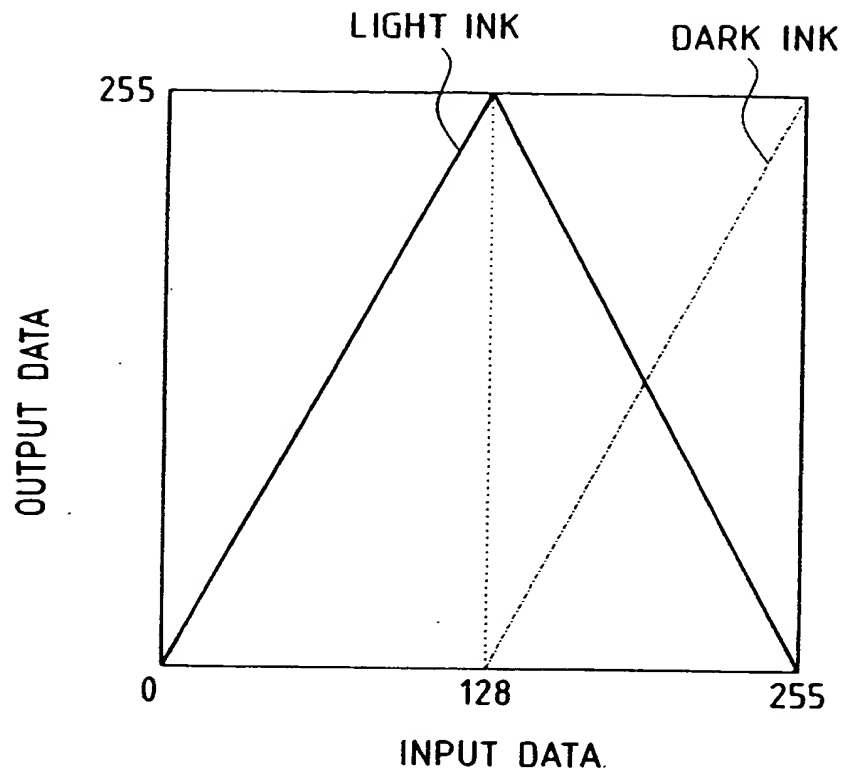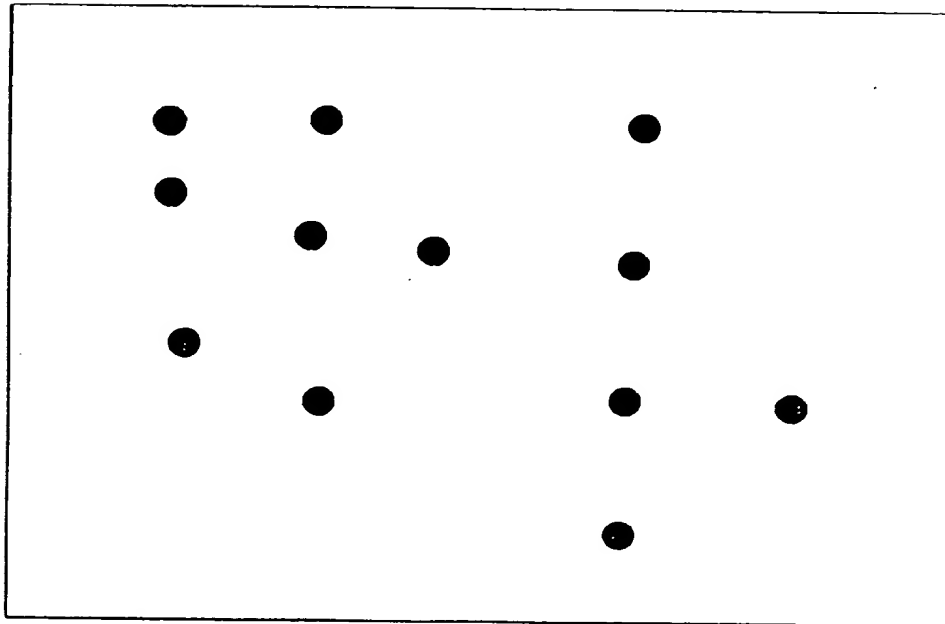JKD:ayr

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FIG. 6

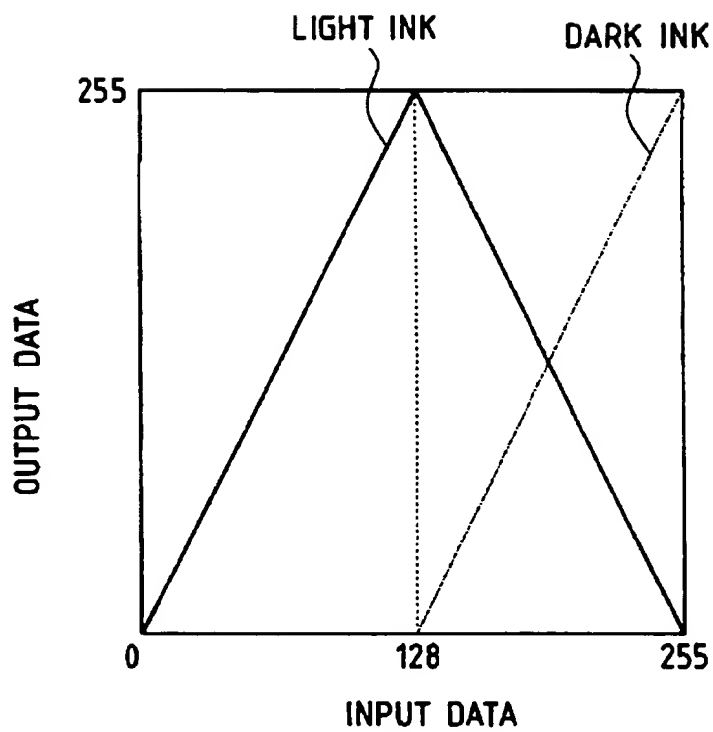LIGHT INK   DARK INK

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